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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 21, 2005 of the Primary Examiner twice or finally rejecting claims 1-7, 9-25, 27-36 and 39-43.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ The time for response to the Office Action of _ expires on _.
2. ☐ A _-month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated _ was filed on . [No additional extensions of time are required.]
- 3a. ☒ Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of April 21, 2005. Payment in the amount of \$120 of the government fee for an extension of time is enclosed herewith.

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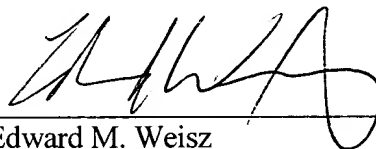
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- 3b. ☐ This is not the first request for an extension of time relative to the outstanding paper. The period for response has already been extended by -month(s) by petition dated . Please extend the time for response by an additional -month(s). With this extension, the deadline for filing the required paper will be . Payment for the additional extension fee of \$ is enclosed.
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